Video opens with a student Elijah Kent. He has short curly auburn hair and is wearing an army green sweater. He is sitting in front of a red wall in a gold chair. There is a photograph of the Gryphon statue to the right of Elijah on the red wall and a shelf to his left with several decorative items.

(upbeat music)

[Elijah] Coming to school here is it teaches you the knowledge of your program, but more than that it teaches you how you learn.

My name is Elijah Kent and I'm a fourth-year student in the Bachelor of Science. I'm studying physics with a minor in mathematics. I had a bunch of family members that came to Guelph and all of them really highly recommended it.

And then when I got to Guelph and I was in that physics course and I was in a chemistry course, I enjoyed both of them, but my physics prof just really kind of opened up that whole new world to me and just, I don't know he really enticed me in and made me want to study the hands on aspects of the courses having to identify like mussels and clams from this like guide or identify different species of plants actually out in the field, in the Arboretum.

[Professor David Ma, CBS] is sitting in a classroom in front of a white screen. He has black short hair, wearing a black diamond sweater with a white collared shirt.

[David] So Bachelor of Science degree is an amazing degree to have especially at the University of Guelph not only are we concerned about the knowledge that you are going to acquire but then also the skills that you're going to acquire to be job ready, the intangible the soft skills that are just as important to be successful in any career.

We have advanced labs equipped with today's leading technologies. We have experiential opportunities that students can take advantage of working in various coop programs. We have wonderful staff that helps students look at potential opportunities for career development research opportunities in the summer, or work study or potential discussions leading to continuing their studies in masters and PhD programs.

[Elijah] My program's definitely preparing me for my future being in the classes, just the profs, getting you engaged. I didn't know anything about physics when I got here and now I'm, modern physics like it's amazing. I would definitely encourage someone to come to Guelph.

It comes back to the faculty here. They're just so friendly and it's such a small group that you can just really get to know all of your professors and what not in your respective department.

And so that really, to me is the biggest draw of Guelph.

(upbeat music)